## HOUSE RESOLUTION 7003 By Stanley

A RESOLUTION to commend and honor Kimberly Kleinaitis upon receiving the Youth Excellence Award.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of the General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kimberly Kleinaitis is one such exceptional student who was recently honored by the Germantown Board of Mayor and Aldermen as the recipient of the Youth Excellence Award; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Kleinaitis has achieved remarkable success in her endeavors; and

WHEREAS, recognized for being "determined to do her best, determined to achieve success, and determined to attain the goals she sets," Ms. Kleinaitis strives for academic excellence in all her course work; she has received numerous academic honors and completed many advanced placement classes during her four years at Germantown High School, and she ranks 22<sup>nd</sup> among the 2005-2006 graduating class; and

WHEREAS, in her distinguished high school career, Ms. Kleinaitis has maintained an exemplary grade point average; she is an active member of the National Honor Society, the Beta Club, and the National Spanish Honor Society, while also participating in numerous extracurricular activities at her school and in the community; and

WHEREAS, a gifted athlete, Ms. Kleinaitis is a starter on the Germantown High School state champion volleyball team, and her commitment and outstanding performance are indicative of her strong work ethic; she has been named the team's Scholar Athlete as well as Most Valuable Player; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kleinaitis has not only spent countless hours developing and practicing her skills, but she has also dedicated many hours to coaching volleyball youth teams at her church and in her community; according to Mayor Sharon Goldsworthy, "Her team views her as a selfless player who encourages the younger and more inexperienced teammates."; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kleinaitis has been described as having "a big heart" and "always helping others in any way she can," and her display of intellectual aptitude, ambition, and community involvement surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Kleinaitis's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Victor Kleinaitis, her school, her church, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Kimberly Kleinaitis's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor Ms. Kimberly Kleinaitis upon receiving the Youth Excellence Award, congratulate her on her impressive accomplishments and academic achievements, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of the resolution be prepared for presentation with the final clause omitted from such copy.

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